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For: GAMING MACHINE WITH EACH PIXEL

HAVING A PAIR OF JUXTAPOSED PIXEL

UNITS (As Amended)

Examiner: M. Shah

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A summary/abstract translation of the non-English language references is enclosed.

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